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Miller, et al.

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application. The initial period for responding to the Office Action issued December 1, 2005 expired on March 1, 2006.

The requested extension and fee are as follows:

	Large Entity Fee	SMALL ENTITY FEE	AMOUNT
One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$120.00	\$60.00	\$120.00
Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$450.00	\$225.00	
Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1,020.00	\$510.00	
Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1,590.00	\$795.00	
Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00	
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Payment for the filing of this Petition for Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is authorized to be charged to a Credit Card. The appropriate form PTO-2038 is enclosed for this purpose. If the Credit Card is unable to be charged, please charge any and all fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <u>06-0308</u>.

Respectfully submitted,

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